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Accreditation Visit Scheduled

A team from the American Library Association's Committee on Accreditation will visit the College from September 23-27. All accredited library schools are re-visited on a seven-year cycle, and the September visit is the first since the College's initial accreditation visit in 1972.

The team will be chaired by Sister Lauretta McCusker, Dean of the Graduate School of Library Science, Rosary College. Other members will be Dr. Herman Totten, Associate Dean, School of Library and Information Sciences, North Texas State University, Dr. Lucille M. Wert, Science Library, University of Illinois, and Dr. Lora D. Garrison, Department of History, Rutgers University.

During the visit the team will talk with members of the University's administration, as well as faculty, students, and alumni from the College. Employers of graduates have been invited to meet with the team. Also scheduled are in-class observations and examination of academic and fiscal records.

A report, which will be reviewed at the ALA Midwinter Meeting, will be submitted to the Committee on Accreditation by the visiting team.

Placement and Salary Report

A survey was taken of the 1978 graduates of the College of Librarianship and the results were submitted to Library Journal for publication in the July issue. The College would like to thank all of you who took the time to compute and return questionnaires.

There were twenty-two questionnaires returned and from those the following statistics were drawn:

HIGH SALARY		AVERAGE SALARY	
Women	Men	Women	Men
15,841	12,300	10,956	10,633

MEDIAN SALARY	
Women	Men
10,346	10,500

These salaries were done listing information received from all individuals who returned the questionnaire. This includes people in all types of libraries as well as those with no professional experience and those with a great deal of experience.

Alumni Board

The Executive Board of the College of Librarianship Alumni Association met on August 20 to discuss plans for the third annual Alumni Day program, which is scheduled for May 3, 1980. Specific information on Alumni Day plans will be announced in the early spring, as commitments are secured from speakers and others involved in the program.

Other items on the agenda for the August 20 meeting were SCLA and a discussion of names for a nominating committee for the Alumni Board. That committee will be appointed within the

next month, and will consist primarily of members of the Association at large.

Committee work on Alumni Day continues, and the Board expects to meet again after the first of the year.

ALA Dallas

The ALA meeting in Dallas brought many alumni together. Those who stopped by for a reunion were Mary Faith and Mark Pankin, Harriette Weeks, Drucie Reeves, Allene Holland, Jim and Marge Moran, Bob Davidson, Cecilia Tung, and Laverne Jenkins. Others were at the meeting, but were unable to attend the reunion.

One-Hour Graduate Course Set

Pam Barron, Marilyn Karrenbrock, and Linda Lucas will be offering a one-hour course, "The Disabled Child in the Library," on three Saturdays during the spring. The course will include information about specific disabilities as well as a discussion of the types of materials, equipment, and services required by disabled children. The tentative dates for the course are February 23, March 15, and April 26. Further information will be available later this fall or you may contact Pam, Linda, or Marilyn at the College.

Bibliotherapy Group at SCLA

A Bibliotherapy Discussion Group will meet during the fall meeting of SCLA in Charleston. The discussion group is just being formed and all new people will be welcomed. The meeting will be held in the Plantation Room at the Francis Marion Hotel on Friday, Oct. 12 from 4:00-5:00.

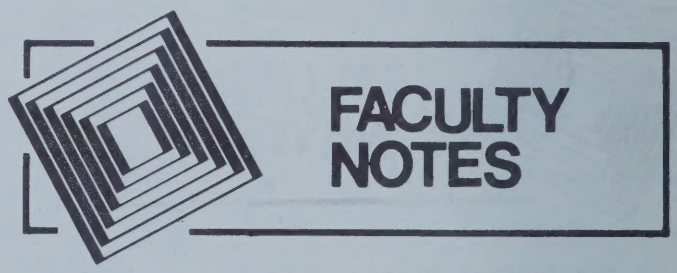
FEEDBACK is a publication designed to maintain communication between the College of Librarianship and its alumni and other professionals. Published three times a year by the College of Librarianship. Fredi Dixon, Editor.

Computer Terminals Available

The College of Librarianship has two computer terminals available to students: a Digital Equipment DecWriter II terminal and an OCLC terminal. The terminals are in the lab in Room 118.

The DecWriter terminal is a dial-up printing terminal that can be used with various computer systems by dialing the telephone number of the desired computer system. Currently students use the DecWriter to perform literature searches with the BRS System (located in New York) and to do various programming exercises with the University computer system.

The OCLC terminal is the standard OCLC CRT dedicated to access of the on-line cataloging data base maintained by OCLC, Inc. in Ohio. In addition to its use in several courses, the OCLC terminal provides cataloging information for materials in the College Laboratories and holdings information to determine whether materials are held in Cooper Library. University Computer Services Division has installed a connection between the OCLC and DecWriter terminals so that information displayed on the OCLC screen can be printed on the DecWriter.



LINDA LUCAS has been appointed assistant editor of Notes to Algernon. This is the newsletter of the Discussion Groups on Library Services to the Developmentally Disabled, a section of ALA's Association of Specialized and Cooperative Library Agencies.

LINDA attended a workshop in Atlanta in June on psychosocial approaches in working with older adults. Elaine Jacks, Director of Adelphi

University's Center on Aging, conducted simulation experiences and discussion on neuro-muscular losses, vision, and hearing losses.

DAN BARRON is now the Coordinator of the School Library Media Program for the College.

MARTHA JANE ZACHERT will be in the United Kingdom on an assignment for the British Library from January through June, 1980.

MARTHA JANE is serving on the Continuing Education Committee of the Medical Library Association and also on the Program Committee of the Special Libraries Association for the 1981 International Meeting in Washington, D. C.

BILL SUMMERS will be the Chairman of the Accreditation Team visiting the Graduate School of Library Studies at the University of Hawaii. The team will be in Hawaii from October 3-11.

DUANE JOHNSON is now on the faculty of the Department of Library Science at the University of Northern Iowa in Cedar Falls.

ALUMNI NEWS

IDA RENEE' WILLIAMS ('77) is the Librarian and audio visual coordinator at McCants Elementary School. Ida was recently invited to join Beta Phi Mu.

MARTHA SCHATZ ('77) had a baby girl, Kristin Noelle on June 7th.

DEBRA CATOE ('77) is now an Extension Librarian at the Orangeburg County Library. Debra supervises the bookmobile as well as the branches in Holly Hill, North and Elloree.

TOM LOVE ('77) has begun work as the Manager of Administrative Services for the Cobb County Government in Marietta, Georgia. Tom is responsible for system design and maintenance.

BOBBI HAWKS ('75) is beginning her third year as Librarian at Fairfield Junior High. She is co-owner of GMT Laboratories and assisted in organizing the Inventors Association of South Carolina.

BILL TRAFTON ('78) in addition to his job in the Albemarle Library, is Director of the Library at the Albemarle Presbyterian Church. Bill has recently joined the Albemarle Rotary Club - their first librarian member!

MATILDA MCRAE SMITH ('77) and Bobby have a baby girl, Dorothy Joy. She was born on August 14 and weighed 7 lbs.

CAROLYN SUTTON ('76) will be transferring to Hanahan Middle School. Carolyn has been at Goose Creek High School for three years, but writes that she is looking forward to "a new challenge."

CECILIA TUNG ('78) is employed as a Serials Project Librarian by the Amigos Bibliographic Council in Dallas, Texas.

JAY EVATT ('77) is a graduate student at Clemson University. Jay is teaching freshman English while working on his M.A. in English.

PAT FAULKNER ROGERS ('77) and Leroy have a new son, Christopher Willis. He was born on August 15. The Rogers are moving to Auburn, Alabama.

BOB STOUT ('78) has assumed a new position in Columbus, Ohio. Bob is the Director of the Children's Hospital Library in Columbus. He began the new job in September.

TOM SUTHERLAND ('78) is an Assistant Professor at the Library, Medical College of Georgia. He is responsible for audio visual cataloging and reference.

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DAN SAVELLE ('75) has just returned from a six weeks trip to Germany. Dan is planning a slide tape production on his trip.

Dan's library, at Lesslie Elementary School, has been featured by a Charlotte television station. WBT television in Charlotte came to the library and filmed a four minute spot which has aired several times since the original showing.

JANE CHINAULT ('75) and John have a new baby girl, Jennifer Elizabeth, born July 5th.

LIZ LUNDY ('75) is attending Law School at USC. This is Liz's first year.

JOSEPH SIMPSON ('73) is the Director of Technical Services at the California Western School of Law Library. He will finish his Master's in Business Administration in December, 1979.

ANN HAHN ('73) has accepted a job as Reference Librarian at Virginia Military Institute in Lexington, Va.

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